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FOR: PROCESS FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF N-ACYL-(EPI)K5-AMINE-O-SULFATE-
DERIVATIVES AND PRODUCTS THUS OBTAINED

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 5, 2007, Applicants elect Group II and species (b) for examination on the merits. Entry and consideration of the following remarks are respectfully requested.

The **claims** are presented on pages 2-14.

Claims 61-78, 80-82, 84-89 and 102-113 are amended.

Claims 90-100 and 115 are canceled without prejudice or disclaimer.

Remarks begin on page 15.